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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Appln. of: Fu-Jya Daniel Tsai et al.

Appln. No.: 09/474,634

Filed: December 29, 1999

For: BIODEGRADABLE THERMOPLASTIC
NONWOVEN WEBS FOR FLUID
MANAGEMENT

Attorney Docket No: 659/1483

Client Ref. No. K-C 14,747

Examiner: C. Pratt

Art Unit: 1771

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Attached is/are:

- ☒ Response (
- ☒ Return Receipt Postcard

Fee calculation:

- ☒ No additional fee is required.
- ☐ Small Entity.
- ☐ An extension fee in an amount of \$_____ for a _____-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).
- ☐ A petition or processing fee in an amount of \$_____ under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(_____).
- ☐ An additional filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

					Small Entity			Not a Small Entity	
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Add'l Fee	or	Rate	Add'l Fee
Total	28	Minus	29	0	x \$9=			x \$18=	
Indep.	2	Minus	3	0	x \$43=			x \$86=	
First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim					+\$145=			+\$290=	
Total					\$			Total	\$

Fee payment:

- ☐ A check in the amount of \$_____ to cover the above-identified fee(s) is enclosed.
- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. 23-1925 in the amount of \$_____. A copy of this Transmittal is enclosed for this purpose.
- ☐ Payment by credit card in the amount of \$_____ (Form PTO-2038 is attached).
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 associated with this paper (including any extension fee required to ensure that this paper is timely filed), or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-1925.

Respectfully submitted,

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RESPONSE

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Dear Sir or Madam:

In response to the Office Action dated March 1, 2004, please reconsider the claims in light of the following amendments and remarks.